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REMARKS

Claims 8-22 have been canceled, without prejudice to refiling.

Applicants elect the invention of Group I without traverse. The species of in vivo imaging technology is elected to be magnetic resonance imaging (MRI). Claims 1 and 4-7 are generic. Claims 2 and 3 are specific for the elected species.

Applicants submit that all of the claims are now in condition for allowance, which action is requested. If the Examiner finds that a Telephone Conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, she is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0815, order number STAN-182.

Respectfully submitted,

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